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WESTERN AUSTRALIA

MALES AND FEMALES IN THE WORK FORCE CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO INDUSTRY IN CONJUNCTION WITH OCCUPATIONAL STATUS

INTRODUCTION

Census Bulletin No. 34, issued on 14th February, 1964, contains particulars of the numbers of males and females in the work force in Australia at the Census of 30th June, 1961, classified according to industry in conjunction with occupational status. Corresponding details for each State and Territory are being published in a series of supplements to this bulletin, of which this issue, Supplement No. 5, relates to the State of Western Australia.

The classification used herein for industry is a condensed version of the Australian Classification of Industries (June, 1961) and shows only the totals of each sub-group and each major group. The total males and females in the work force in each industry category within each sub-group may be found in Census Bulletin No. 29 - Industry of the Population : Australia, States and Territories. Since publication of that bulletin some minor amendments have been made to the original tabulations and are incorporated in the present bulletin. Final figures presented on the full classification of industry in conjunction with occupational status will be published in the Detailed Tables of the Census of the Commonwealth of Australia, 30th June, 1961.

The figures in this Supplement exclude particulars of full-blood aboriginals.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

In processing the 1961 Census data, an occupational status was allocated prior to tabulation in all instances where this information was not stated.

The category "Not at Work" includes those who stated that they were usually engaged in work, but were not actively seeking a job at the time of the Census by reason of sickness, accident, etc., or because they were on strike, changing jobs or temporarily laid off, etc. It includes also persons able and willing to work but unable to secure employment as well as casual and seasonal workers not actually in a job at the time of the Census. The numbers shown as "Not at Work", therefore, do not represent the number of unemployed available for work and unable to obtain it.

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Industry		At Work					Not at Work	Total in Work Force
		Employer	Self-Employed	Employee (on wage or salary)	Helper (not on wage or salary)	Total		
PRIMARY PRODUCTION -								
Fishing	M	221	564	699	15	1,499	145	1,644
	F	4	6	7	..	17	..	17
Hunting and Trapping	M	3	51	39	1	94	3	97
	F	..	..	1	..	1	..	1
Rural Industries	M	5,911	15,509	12,041	857	34,318	842	35,160
	F	877	1,423	568	210	3,078	13	3,091
Forestry	M	40	129	952	..	1,121	27	1,148
	F	2	..	6	..	8	..	8
TOTAL PRIMARY PRODUCTION ..	M	6,175	16,253	13,731	873	37,032	1,017	38,049
	F	883	1,429	582	210	3,104	13	3,117
MINING AND QUARRYING -								
Mining (including Open-cut Mining) ..	M	55	301	6,800	9	7,165	231	7,396
	F	4	1	133	..	138	..	138
Quarrying	M	10	10	303	..	323	13	336
	F	..	..	15	..	15	..	15
TOTAL MINING AND QUARRYING ..	M	65	311	7,103	9	7,488	244	7,732
	F	4	1	148	..	153	..	153
MANUFACTURING -								
Manufacture relating to Cement, Bricks, Glass and Stone	M	89	41	3,021	..	3,151	87	3,238
	F	6	5	216	..	227	..	227
Manufacture of Products of Petroleum and Coal (excluding Chemical and Gas Works)	M	5	..	863	..	868	8	876
	F	..	..	64	..	64	..	64
Founding, Engineering and Metalworking ..	M	348	255	9,770	2	10,375	403	10,778
	F	27	12	840	2	881	20	901
Manufacture, Assembly and Repair of Ships, Vehicles, Parts and Accessories	M	277	238	6,357	4	6,876	163	7,039
	F	13	1	144	3	161	1	162

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MANUFACTURING (continued) -								
Manufacture of Yarns, Textiles and Articles thereof (excluding Clothing and Furnishing Drapery) ..	M	11	5	673	..	689	30	719
	F	2	1	321	..	324	8	332
Manufacture of Clothing and Knitted Goods (including Needleworking)	M	95	73	222	..	390	29	419
	F	45	108	1,366	3	1,522	125	1,647
Manufacture of Boots, Shoes and Accessories (other than Rubber)	M	41	118	398	2	559	22	581
	F	4	1	212	..	217	13	230
Manufacture of Food, Drink and Tobacco ..	M	326	104	5,752	5	6,187	156	6,343
	F	72	17	1,407	13	1,509	47	1,556
Sawmilling and Manufacture of Wood Products (other than Furniture)	M	214	102	4,995	3	5,314	207	5,521
	F	19	2	93	..	114	..	114
Manufacture of Furniture and Fittings (other than metal), Bedding and Furnishing Drapery	M	153	142	1,260	1	1,556	82	1,638
	F	10	4	198	..	212	3	215
Manufacture of Paper and Paper Products, Printing, Packaging, Bookbinding and Photography	M	135	75	2,929	1	3,140	50	3,190
	F	27	13	968	3	1,011	26	1,037
Manufacture of Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paints and Non-mineral Oils	M	18	6	1,809	..	1,833	29	1,862
	F	4	1	268	..	273	4	277
Manufacture of Jewellery, Watchmaking, Electroplating and Minting	M	25	75	154	..	254	10	264
	F	6	5	10	..	21	..	21
Preparation of Skins and Leather; Manufacture of Goods of Leather and Leather Substitutes (other than Clothing or Footwear)	M	14	8	195	..	217	2	219
	F	2	..	61	1	64	2	66
Manufacture of Rubber Goods	M	12	9	461	..	482	7	489
	F	2	..	72	..	74	1	75
Manufacture of Musical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Apparatus	M	13	30	129	..	172	8	180
	F	1	1	56	..	58	1	59
Manufacture of Plastic Products (n.e.i.) ..	M	2	3	73	..	78	4	82
	F	1	..	27	..	28	1	29
Other Manufacturing	M	26	32	199	1	258	15	273
	F	2	4	51	..	57	..	57
Manufacturing Undefined	M	6	10	68	..	84	24	108
	F	..	..	52	1	53	15	68
TOTAL MANUFACTURING ..	M	1,810	1,326	39,328	19	42,483	1,336	43,819
	F	243	175	6,426	26	6,870	267	7,137

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ELECTRICITY, GAS, WATER AND SANITARY SERVICES (PRODUCTION, SUPPLY AND MAINTENANCE) -								
Gas and Electricity	M	13	6	2,389	..	2,408	13	2,421
	F	2	1	158	..	161	..	161
Water Supply, Sewerage, etc. ..	M	5	28	1,956	..	1,989	37	2,026
	F	..	..	96	..	96	2	98
TOTAL ELECTRICITY, GAS, WATER AND SANITARY SERVICES (PRODUCTION, SUPPLY AND MAINTENANCE) ..	M	18	34	4,345	..	4,397	50	4,447
	F	2	1	254	..	257	2	259
BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION -								
Construction and Repair of Buildings ..	M	1,851	1,781	9,977	15	13,624	1,060	14,684
	F	65	14	254	4	337	4	341
Construction Works (Other than Buildings) ..	M	143	152	9,779	3	10,077	226	10,303
	F	9	2	77	..	88	1	89
TOTAL BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION ..	M	1,994	1,933	19,756	18	23,701	1,286	24,987
	F	74	16	331	4	425	5	430
TRANSPORT AND STORAGE -								
Road Transport	M	531	1,572	4,007	9	6,119	274	6,393
	F	63	45	359	4	471	2	473
Shipping	M	13	14	2,783	..	2,810	88	2,898
	F	..	..	181	..	181	1	182
Loading and Discharging Vessels ..	M	1	1	2,614	..	2,616	56	2,672
	F	..	..	21	..	21	..	21
Rail and Air Transport	M	2	1	7,735	..	7,738	86	7,824
	F	..	1	338	..	339	4	343
Storage	M	1	2	114	1	118	3	121
	F	1	..	12	..	13	..	13
TOTAL TRANSPORT AND STORAGE ..	M	548	1,590	17,253	10	19,401	507	19,908
	F	64	46	911	4	1,025	7	1,032

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COMMUNICATION	M	4	16	5,069	..	5,089	33	5,122
	F	1	15	997	3	1,016	14	1,030
FINANCE AND PROPERTY -								
Banking	M	..	..	2,650	..	2,650	10	2,660
	F	..	..	1,124	..	1,124	5	1,129
Insurance	M	17	90	1,548	1	1,656	23	1,679
	F	..	2	1,109	1	1,112	9	1,121
Other Finance and Property	M	228	102	780	..	1,110	17	1,127
	F	22	19	681	2	724	2	726
TOTAL FINANCE AND PROPERTY ..	M	245	192	4,978	1	5,416	50	5,466
	F	22	21	2,914	3	2,960	16	2,976
COMMERCE -								
Wholesale Trade	M	535	469	9,503	4	10,511	219	10,730
	F	60	38	2,811	3	2,912	37	2,949
Livestock and Primary Produce Dealing, etc. ..	M	90	77	2,860	1	3,028	116	3,144
	F	10	12	582	1	605	4	609
Retail Trade	M	3,304	2,167	13,867	39	19,377	478	19,855
	F	975	929	11,084	139	13,127	379	13,506
TOTAL COMMERCE	M	3,929	2,713	26,230	44	32,916	813	33,729
	F	1,045	979	14,477	143	16,644	420	17,064

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PUBLIC AUTHORITY (n.e.i.) AND DEFENCE SERVICES -								
Public Authority Activities (n.e.i.) ..	M	..	..	6,595	..	6,595	53	6,648
	F	..	..	2,007	..	2,007	10	2,017
Defence : Enlisted Personnel ..	M	..	..	2,212	..	2,212	18	2,230
	F	..	..	53	..	53	..	53
Defence : Civilian Employees ..	M	..	..	377	..	377	23	400
	F	..	..	69	..	69	2	71
TOTAL PUBLIC AUTHORITY (n.e.i.) AND DEFENCE SERVICES	M	..	..	9,184	..	9,184	94	9,278
	F	..	..	2,129	..	2,129	12	2,141
COMMUNITY AND BUSINESS SERVICES (INCLUDING PROFESSIONAL) -								
Law, Order and Public Safety ..	M	176	14	1,864	5	2,059	16	2,075
	F	2	1	568	..	571	11	582
Religion and Social Welfare ..	M	1	3	1,211	10	1,225	3	1,228
	F	1	8	989	14	1,012	4	1,016
Health, Hospitals, etc. ..	M	660	145	2,740	1	3,546	43	3,589
	F	85	35	8,722	11	8,853	205	9,058
Education	M	20	63	4,688	7	4,778	24	4,802
	F	18	127	5,224	41	5,410	30	5,440
Other Community and Business Services (including Professional)	M	461	151	1,288	..	1,900	41	1,941
	F	37	45	1,147	5	1,234	25	1,259
TOTAL COMMUNITY AND BUSINESS SERVICES (INCLUDING PROFESSIONAL)	M	1,318	376	11,791	23	13,508	127	13,635
	F	143	216	16,650	71	17,080	275	17,355

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AMUSEMENT, HOTELS AND OTHER ACCOMMODATION, CAFES, PERSONAL SERVICE, ETC. -								
Amusement, Sport and Recreation ..	M	218	164	1,771	9	2,162	86	2,248
	F	19	33	567	5	624	6	630
Private Domestic Service	M	15	227	181	5	428	51	479
	F	..	7	1,498	46	1,551	156	1,707
Hotels, Boarding Houses and other Accommodation and Restaurants	M	705	348	1,929	12	2,994	166	3,160
	F	447	788	3,610	51	4,896	172	5,068
Other Personal Services	M	329	351	813	4	1,497	67	1,564
	F	166	121	1,468	13	1,768	35	1,803
TOTAL AMUSEMENT, HOTELS AND OTHER ACCOMMODATION, CAFES, PERSONAL SERVICE, ETC. ..	M	1,267	1,090	4,694	30	7,081	370	7,451
	F	632	949	7,143	115	8,839	369	9,208
OTHER INDUSTRIES	M	..	..	3	..	3	..	3
	F	1	1	..	..	2	..	2
INDUSTRY INADEQUATELY DESCRIBED OR NOT STATED	M	22	90	776	12	900	1,992	2,892
	F	12	11	489	6	518	844	1,362
TOTAL PERSONS IN THE WORK FORCE	M	17,395	25,924	164,241	1,039	208,599	7,919	216,518
	F	3,126	3,860	53,451	585	61,022	2,244	63,266

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